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MEMORANDUM FOR: Associate Deputy Director for Intelligence

VIA: Director of Soviet Analysis

FROM: [redacted] Analyst
Effectiveness Analysis Branch, SOVA/SF

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SUBJECT: Request Permission to Submit
Manuscript for Publication

REFERENCE: [redacted]

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1. I request permission to submit for publication the attached manuscript [redacted]. The manuscript has been prepared by myself and [redacted] PT & JRA. We have a contract with Bison Books Ltd, Greenwich, CT.

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2. To the best of our knowledge, none of the material presented in the manuscript is classified. We have used material from a wide variety of standard books, such as the new Janes Weapons and Tactics of the Soviet Army, Harriet and William Scott, The Armed Forces of the USSR, Richard Gabriel, The New Red Legions, and many articles.

3. We are not under cover and will not be identified as either agency or US Government employees. The publication is to be a large format book of half text and half photos and illustrations. The text is largely descriptive and intended for a general audience. We make the general point that military power is the one area in which the Soviets have been able to compete successfully and then review the broad development and characteristics of the forces with a heavy emphasis on history. We have been asked to submit the manuscript by February 1.



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Attachment:
Copy of Manuscript

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I have reviewed the attached manuscript; to the best of my knowledge have found it to be unclassified, and approve it for publication.



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